Ship Name: ASTRO SCULPTOR Ship Type: Oil Tankship

Flag: Greece Recognized Org: American Bureau of Shipping

IMO Number: 9235713 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: **02/22/2015** 

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: New Orleans, Louisiana Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

**Sculptor ENE** 

**Pantheon Tankers Management Ltd** 

Charterers

**BP Shipping U.S.A** 

Deficiencies: Code - Category

0750 - Fire prevention

Description
The fire p

The fire protection systems and fire-fighting systems and appliances shall be maintained and ready for use. PSCO observed a quick closing fuel supply valve on the HSFO settling tank blocked open, rendering the

valve in-operable.

2550 - Maintenance of ship and

equipment

A ship is subject to control by officers concerning operational requirements in respect to safety of ships when there are clear grounds for believing that the master or crew are not familiar with essential shipboard procedures relating to the safety of ships. PSCO observed a quick closing fuel supply valve on the HSFO settling tank blocked open, rendering the valve in-operable. Second Engineer stated it was probably blocked open after maintenance. Maintenance records indicate maintenance was last conducted on October 23, 2014.

Containership Ship Name: **BF LETICIA** Ship Type:

Antigua and Barbuda Recognized Org: Nippon Kaiji Kyokai Flag:

IMO Number: 9266542 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: 02/01/2015

Recognized Org (RO) Action Taken: Detention No

Related:

Port: San Juan, Puerto Rico Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

> BF Shipmanagement Gmbh & Co KG ms "BF Leticia Foroohari Schiffahrts Gmbh

Charterers

CMA-CGM S.A.

Deficiencies: Code - Category

Description 1430 - Auxiliary engines

The main source of electrical power shall consist of at least two generator sets. Vessel did not have two operational generator sets. PSCO found one of the two generators not inoperable due a broken starter assembly.

1623 - MF/HF radio installation

Every ship while at sea shall be capable of transmitting by at least two separate and independent means, each using a different radio communication service of receiving ship to ship distress alerts. Vessel GMDSS was not operational and antenna was missing top section.

Ship Name: **BOX** Ship Type: Tankship (Not Specified)

Flag: Marshall Islands Recognized Org: **American Bureau of Shipping** 

IMO Number: 9399911 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: 02/21/2015

Action Taken: Detention Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: Alameda, California Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

> **Empire Navigation Inc. Box Shipping Limited**

Deficiencies: Code - Category Description

> 0925 - Musters and drills Master and crew shall be familiar with essential

shipboard procedures relating to the safety of the ship and personnel. During both fire drills crew failed to demonstrate an understanding of setting and inspecting fire boundaries. In addition crew members including the Chief Officer entered the spaces simulated on fire without proper personnel protection. Crew failed to follow Sip Training Manual Sections 4.2 and 4.4. Captain failed to fill out ship's Fire Emergency

Checklist NO-1-03.

Ship Name: DOLE CALIFORNIA Ship Type: Refrigerated Cargo Carrier

Flag: Bahamas Recognized Org: Registro Italiano Navale

IMO Number: 8513467 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: **02/23/2015** 

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: San Diego, California Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

Reefership Marine Service Ltd.

Ventura Trading Ltd.

Deficiencies: Code - Category

0740 - Pumps

Description

In cargo ships of 2,000 gross tonnage and upwards, if a fire in any one compartment could put all the pumps out of action, there shall be an alternative means consisting of a fixed independently driven emergency pump which shall be capable of supplying two jets of water to the satisfaction of the Administration. The emergency fire pump is not capable of supplying two

jets of water for more than one minute.

Ship Name: FALSTRIA SWAN Ship Type: Chemical Tankship

Flag: Antigua and Barbuda Recognized Org: Germanischer Lloyd

IMO Number: 9367217 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: 02/06/2015

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) No.

Related:

Port: Mobile, Alabama Organization Related

to Detention:

Description

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

**Uni-Tankers** 

Uni-Tankers M/T "Falstria Swan" ApS

Deficiencies: Code - Category

0720 - Fire fighting equipment Fire detection and alarm systems shall be kept in good

working order so as to ensure their required performance if a fire occurs. During examination of engine room, crew was unable to demonstrate operation

of fire detection system after numerous attempts.

0699 - Other (Life Saving

Appliances)

Each vessel shall have at least two lifebuoys provided with self-activating smoke signals complying with the requirements of the LSA Code in good working order and ready for immediate use. PSCO noted that both

self-activating smoke signals were expired.

0690 - Line throwing apparatus A line throwing appliance complying with the

requirements of the LSA Code shall be provided in good working order and ready for immediate use. PSCO noted all four appliances were expired.

1740 - Oil discharge mon/contr system The oil

The oil and discharge monitoring and control system shall come into operation when there is any discharge of effluent into the sea and shall be such as will ensure that any discharge of oily mixture is automatically stopped when the instantaneous rate of discharge of oil exceeds that permitted by regulation 34 of Marpol Annex I. During operational test of ODME, PSCO noted overboard discharge valve did not open or close when rate of discharge of oil exceeded 30 liters per

nautical miles.

1840 - Instrumentation Provisions shall be made to guard against liquid rising

in the venting system to a height which would exceed the design head of cargo tanks. This shall be accomplished by high level alarms or overflow control systems. PSCO was unable to verify proper operation of tank high level alarms. PSCO noted inoperable No 2 starboard cargo tank & starboard slop tank alarms.

Ship Name: FIESTA MAIL Ship Type: General Dry Cargo Ship

Flag: Bahamas Recognized Org: American Bureau of Shipping

IMO Number: 9266724 Recognized Security

Recognized Security Organization

Date of Action: 02/12/2015
Action Taken: Detention Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: Miami, Florida Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

FastMail Company Ltd

Deficiencies: Code - Category

2550 - Maintenance of ship and

equipment

## Description

Objective evidence discovered during an expanded ISM exam revealed the follow non-conformities: The vessel failed to fully implement the requirements of the ISM Code through their SMS procedures as evident by the following identified deficiencies. These deficiencies taken with the remaining material deficiencies discovered are evidence that the ship and/or company are not meeting the SMS requirements. Recommend an external audit.

No. 1-- The safety management system, should include procedures ensuring non-conformities, accidents, and hazardous situations are reported to the company. The port main engine turbocharger seal misaligned leaking excessively and the starboard main engine exhaust manifold is cracked; both causing several exhaust leaks within the engine room since December 2014. The vessel did not document the hazardous conditions in a non-conformity report as required by their SMS procedure.

No. 2- The company should ensure that all personnel involved in the company's safety management system have an adequate understanding of relevant rules, regulations, codes and guidelines. The company has not provided guidance or adequate procedures for the ship to conduct the steering gear test in accordance with SOLAS.

No. 3- The company should establish procedures including checklists as appropriate for key shipboard operations concerning safety of personnel. The tasks should be defined and assigned to qualified personnel. Vessel provided completed checklists indicating satisfactory checks for the port turbo charger exhaust and steering gear, however, the exhaust system has been leaking since December 2014 and the steering gear system is not fully functional.

1410 - Propulsion main engine

The machinery shall be of a design and construction adequate for the service for which they are intended and shall be so installed and protected as to reduce to a minimum any danger to persons on board. The starboard side main diesel engine has a crack in its exhaust manifold allowing excessive exhaust to escape into the engine room creating a hazardous atmosphere within a manned space.

1410 - Propulsion main engine

The machinery shall be of a design and construction adequate for the service for which they are intended and shall be so installed and protected as to reduce to a minimum any danger to persons on board. The port main diesel engine turbo seal is misaligned and leaking exhaust excessively into the engine room creating a hazardous atmosphere within a manned space.

1460 - Guards and fencing

The machinery shall be of a design and construction adequate for the service for which they are intended and shall be so installed and protected as to reduce to a minimum any danger to persons on board. The lagging on both the port and starboard main diesel exhaust lines are severely deteriorated exposing extremely hot surfaces.

0936 - Steering gear

The main steering gear and rudder shall be capable of putting the rudder over from 35 degrees on one side to 35 degrees on the other side. The rudder angle indicators on the bridge and at the steering gear indicated movement that could not exceed 24 degrees port and 29 degrees starboard.

Ship Name: GLORY SKY I Ship Type: General Dry Cargo Ship

Flag: Tanzania Recognized Org: Compania Nacional de Registro y

Inspecciones de Naves

IMO Number: **7523996** Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: 02/04/2015

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) **Yes** 

Related:

Port: Miami, Florida Organization Related Compania Nacional de Registro y

to Detention: Inspecciones de Naves

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

**FOFO Transport Inc.** 

**SM Marine Inc** 

Deficiencies: Code - Category Description

0120 - Load lines Vessel's load line marks does not match issued Load

Line Certificate.

Ship Name: GREY SHARK Ship Type: Ro-Ro-Cargo Ship

Flag: Madagascar Recognized Org: Intermaritime Certification Services

IMO Number: **7907647** Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: **02/27/2015** 

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) **Yes** 

Related:

Port: New York, New York Organization Related Intermaritime Certification Services

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

**Devon Shipping Incorporated.** 

Deficiencies: <u>Code - Category</u> <u>Description</u>

0615 - Rescue boats Before the ship leaves port and at all times during the

voyage, all life-saving appliances shall be in working order and ready for immediate use. The mechanical davit for the starboard lifeboat/rescue boat was unable to recover the boat. Additionally, the davit did not have

a working hand gear.

2560 - Company verification, review

and evaluation

The company should establish procedures to ensure that the ship is maintained in conformity with the provisions of the relevant rules and regulations and with any additional requirements which may be established by the company. The watertight gasket material for the vehicle ramp door had severely deteriorated and the mechanical davit for the starboard lifeboat / rescue boat was unable to recover the lifeboat and did not have a working hand gear. Verify compliance of the ISM Code with regard to life saving

compliance of the ISM Code with regard to life saving and watertight integrity maintenance procedures. An external audit of the ship's SMS is recommended.

1240 - Cargo and other hatchways

Arrangements for bow doors, inner doors, side doors, and stern doors, and their securing, shall be in compliance with the requirements of a Recognized Organization, or with the applicable national standards of the Administration which provide an equivalent level of safety. Watertight gasket material for the vehicle ramp door had severely deteriorated and allowed water to ingress.

Ship Name: HANSA ARENDAL Ship Type: Containership

Flag: Liberia Recognized Org: DNV GL MARITIME

IMO Number: 9221059 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: **02/05/2015** 

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: Savannah, Georgia Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

Schiffahrts-Gesellschaft "Hansa Arendal" Leonhardt & Blumberg Schiffahrtsgesellschaft

Charterers

**Maersk Line** 

Deficiencies: Code - Category

2515 - Company responsibility and

authority

Description

Every company should develop, implement and maintain a Safety Management System to include procedures for reporting accidents and non-conformities with the provisions of the ISM Code. The vessel and company failed to report failure of critical shipboard equipment to the designated person ashore to ensure the monitoring of the safety and pollution aspects of the ship's operation (ISM Code Part A, 1.4.4). Evidence as follows: (1) Two electronic cards failed which caused the engine room to be without 47 critical alarms.(2) The quick closing fuel valve for boiler supply was locked open by an installed bolt. An external audit of the SMS is

recommended.

1499 - Other (Prop. & Aux. Machinery)

Oil fuel pipes shall be fitted with a cock or valve directly on the tank capable of being closed from a safe place outside the engine room in the event of a fire. The fuel oil quick closing valve for boiler supply has failed and

is held open with an installed bolt.

Ship Name: HANSA MAGDENBERG Ship Type: Containership

Flag: Liberia Recognized Org: Germanischer Lloyd

IMO Number: 9256377 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: **02/19/2015** 

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: **Dutch Harbor, Alaska** Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

Leonhardt & Blumberg Reederei GMBH & CO KG Schiffahrts-Gesellschaft "H" Magdeburg" mbH &

Charterers

Nippon Yusen Kaisha

Deficiencies: Code - Category

1730 - Oily-water separating

equipment

Description

Oil filtering equipment shall be such as will ensure that any oil mixture discharged into the sea after passing through the system has an oil content not exceeding 15 ppm. The oil content meter (OCM) effluent sample line is not allowing flow to the meter without sample flow. The OCM is unable to verify the processed water discharged overboard is below 15 PPM. The 3 way valve does not completely close and still allows approximately 30% flow of effluent through the overboard discharge line when content meter (OCM) is in alarm state or when

showing greater than 15 PPM on OCM.

Ship Name: IKAROS I Ship Type: Other

Flag: Panama Recognized Org: International Naval Surveys Bureau

IMO Number: 7411820 Recognized Security Organization International Naval

**Surveys Bureau** 

Date of Action: **02/10/2015** 

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) **Yes** 

Related:

Port: St. Petersburg, Florida Organization Related International Naval Surveys

to Detention: Bureau

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

Marinetel Shipping S. A.

Deficiencies: Code - Category Description

0230 - Number/composition The vessel sailed from the Bahamas to the Port of

(manning) Tampa without a properly licensed Chief Officer and

Second Engineer.

1250 - Covers (hatchways tarpaulins) At least two layers of tarpaulins in good condition shall

be provided for each hatchway in position 1 or 2. The tarpaulins shall be waterproof and of ample strength.

Water was coming into the cargo hold.

0199 - Other (certificates)

The International Tonnage Certificate shall be issued by

the Administration or by any person or organization duly authorized by it. In every case, the Administration shall assume full responsibility for the certificate. Current tonnage certificate on board is issued on behalf

of the Union of Comoros. The vessel is currently

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registered in Panama.

2120 - Garbage Every ship 400 gross tonnage and above, and every ship

which is certified to carry 15 persons or more, shall carry a garbage management plan which the crew shall follow. Vessel was unable to produce an approved

garbage management plan.

2120 - Garbage Every ship 400 gross tonnage and above and every ship

which is certified to carry 15 persons or more engaged in voyages to ports under the jurisdiction of other Parties to the Convention shall be provided with a Garbage Record Book. Vessel was unable to produce a garbage

record book.

Ship Name: LAURA D Ship Type: Bulk Carrier

Flag: **Liberia** Recognized Org:

IMO Number: 9589633 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: 02/03/2015

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) **No** 

Related:

Port: Baltimore, Maryland Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

Crown Capricorn 2 Limited Midocean (IOM) Limited

Charterers

**Oldendorff Carriers** 

Deficiencies: Code - Category Description

1730 - Oily-water separating OWS was inoperable.

equipment

Ship Name: LISANNE Ship Type: General Dry Cargo Ship

Flag: Bolivia Recognized Org: Compania Nacional de Registro y

**Inspecciones de Naves** 

IMO Number: 8117421 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: 02/03/2015

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) **No** 

Related:

Port: Miami, Florida Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

Caribbean Ship Services, Inc. Global Productions S.A.

Deficiencies: Code - Category

2550 - Maintenance of ship and

equipment

Description

Objective evidence discovered during an expanded ISM exam revealed the following non-conformities; The vessel failed to fully implements of the ISM code through their SMS procedures as evidence by the following identified deficiencies: (1) The company should ensure that the master is fully conversant with the company's safety management system (ISM Code 6). In accordance with the company's SMS, the vessel is required to conduct monthly fire drills; the master failed to conduct a fire drill for the month of December. Additionally, the crew failed to complete a satisfactory drill in the presence of Port State Control Examiners. (2) The company should ensure that each ship is manned with qualified, certificated and medically-fit seafarers in accordance with national and international requirements; the Chief Mate is operating in a capacity which exceeds the limits of his license. These deficiencies taken with the remaining material deficiencies discovered are evidence that the ship and/or company are not meeting the SMS requirements. Recommend an external audit.

0230 - Number/composition (manning)

The vessel failed to comply with the applicable safe manning requirements of the Administration; the Chief Mate's license is limited to 1600 GT; the vessel's ITC is 1865.

0735 - Personal equipment - fire fighting

A fireman's outfit shall consist of a self-contained breathing apparatus which shall be capable of functioning for a period of time to be determined by the Administration; the firefighter's mask was severely damaged and the regulator was incapable of properly regulating the flow of oxygen.

0720 - Fire fighting equipment

A ship of 1,000 gross tonnage and upwards shall be provided with at least one international shore connection the flange of which shall have one side that will fit the ship's hydrant and hose; the vessel's international shore connection is not adaptable to the vessel's fire fighting system.

0615 - Rescue boats

Before the ship leaves port and at all times during the voyage, all life-saving appliances shall be in working order and ready for immediate use; the safety latch on the rescue boat's launching gear is missing making the apparatus inoperable.

0720 - Fire fighting equipment

Hoses shall be kept ready for using an inconspicuous positions near the water service hydrants or connections; the hoses in the forward part of the vessel are kept in a locked cabinet away from the water service hydrants/connections.

Ship Name: MARATON Ship Type: Containership

Flag: Panama Recognized Org: Intermaritime Certification Services

IMO Number: **7529330** Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: 02/25/2015

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) **Yes** 

Related:

Port: Miami, Florida Organization Related Intermaritime Certification Services

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

World Shipping Management Corporation S.A. Auxiliar Alma Bulk AIE S.A.

Deficiencies: Code - Category

1499 - Other (Prop. & Aux.

Machinery)

Description

After any survey of the ship under regulation 10 has been completed, no change shall be made in the machinery covered by the survey. The number one generator is overheating and spraying steaming water and the number two generator has an exhaust leak creating an unsafe atmosphere in the engine room. Additionally, generator two is unable to fully support

the ship's power.

0360 - Pipes wires (insulation)

accomm.

All electrical apparatus shall be installed that danger of injury shall not exist. Air conditioning power cables run from the bridge though the superstructure ladder well into the engine room, penetrating multiple bulkheads and decks. The cables are insulated by a

stitched fire hose which presents a fire and electrical hazard.

0615 - Rescue boats

Before the ship leaves port and at all times during the voyage, all life-saving appliances shall be in working order and ready for immediate use. The on load release on the rescue boat's launching gear is missing making

the apparatus inoperable.

1099 - Other (alarm - signals)

After any survey of the ship under regulation 10 has been completed, no change shall be made in machinery covered by the survey. Vessel is fitted with bilge alarms

that are inoperable.

Ship Name: OVERSEAS JADEMAR Ship Type: Oil Tankship

Flag: Marshall Islands Recognized Org: Lloyd's Register of Shipping

IMO Number: 9232606 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: 02/09/2015

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: Seattle, Washington Organization Related

to Detention:

Description

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

V Ships (UK) Ltd. Jademar Limited

Deficiencies: Code - Category

1671 - Satellite EPIRB 406MHz/1.6GHz Every ship shall be provided with a satellite Emergency Position-Indicating Radio Beacon (satellite EPIRB) which shall be capable of transmitting a distress alert

through the polar orbiting satellite service operating in the 406 MHz band. The EPIRB did not function

properly during the test.

Ship Name: SKAFTAFELL Ship Type: Bulk Carrier

Flag: Gibraltar Recognized Org: DNV GL MARITIME

IMO Number: 9137741 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: 02/26/2015

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: Mobile, Alabama Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

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**Neuwerk Shipping Company Limited** 

Deficiencies: Code - Category

1730 - Oily-water separating

equipment

Description

Any ship of 400 gross tons and above shall be fitted with oil filtering equipment that will ensure any oily mixture discharged into the sea has an oil content not exceeding 15PPM. The vessel's crew was unable to demonstrate proper operation of system. The oil filtering equipment automatic stopping device failed to operate and did not stop overboard discharge of

effluent during test. PSCO allowed crew several attempts

with negative results.

Ship Name: SOPHIE OLDENDORFF Ship Type: Bulk Carrier

Flag: Portugal Recognized Org: Nippon Kaiji Kyokai

IMO Number: 9138109 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: **02/12/2015** 

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) **No** 

Related:

Port: **Tampa, Florida** Organization Related

to Detention:

Description

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

Oldendorff Carriers GMBH & CO. KG

Deficiencies: <u>Code - Category</u>

0910 - Closing devices watertight

doors

The number of openings in watertight subdivisions is to be kept to a minimum compatible with design and proper working of the ship. Where penetrations of watertight bulkheads are necessary, arrangements are to be made to maintain watertight integrity. Watertight doors in the conveyor tunnel were found to not be

watertight and not operating properly.

Ship Name: TRANSPINE Ship Type: Ro-Ro-Cargo Ship

Flag: Sweden Recognized Org: Lloyd's Register of Shipping

IMO Number: 9216638 Recognized Security

Organization

Date of Action: **02/17/2015** 

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

Transatlantic Shipping AB
Longitude Shipping (UK) Ltd

Charterers

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Deficiencies: Code - Category

1730 - Oily-water separating

equipment

Description

Any ship of 10,000 gross tons and above shall be fitted with oil filtering equipment that will ensure any oily mixture discharged into the sea has an oil content not exceeding 15 PPM. The OWS could not produce a sample below 15ppm. Both bilge holding tanks were utilized during the OWS testing with Oil Content Meter (OCM) readings of EE, 25ppm, and 30ppm. The OCM failed to properly operate and never displayed a reading

below 15ppm.

1710 - Oil record book

The oil record book shall be completed on each occasion so that all entries in the book appropriate to that operation are completed. Significant discrepancies were found between the Oil Record Book (ORB) and the OCM data. Approximately 12 hours of OWS operation was recorded on the OCM data card, but was not

recorded in the ORB.

1795 - Other (Suspected Of Discharge Violation)

A ship when in a port of another party is subject to inspection by officers duly authorized by such Party concerning operational requirements under Marpol, Annex I, where there are clear grounds for believing that the master or crew are not familiar with essential shipboard procedures in relation to the prevention of oil. The Second Engineer stated that in order to pump overboard through the OWS, he would remove and place a plug in the sample line to the OCM. This allowed the OWS to pump overboard without ensuring the effluent was below 15ppm.

2510 - Safety and environmental policy

Objective evidence discovered during an expanded ISM examination revealed that the company/vessel failed to fully implement the requirements of the Safety Management System. Vessel crew reported to company a side door starboard side was leaking allowing seawater ingress. Company failed to report this to the Class. Required OCM testing was not conducted for 4 month period and no history of OWS maintenance was recorded. PSC Officer was provided with evidence that the OCM was intentionally bypassed in violation of the Safety and Environmental Protection Policy. An external audit of the vessel's Safety Management System is recommended.

Ship Name: UNITED MOJANDA Ship Type: **Bulk Carrier** 

Recognized Org: **Bureau Veritas** Flag: Liberia

Recognized Security IMO Number: 9632612

Organization

Date of Action: 02/19/2015

Action Taken: **Detention** Recognized Org (RO) No

Related:

Port: New Orleans, Louisiana Organization Related

to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers

> United Seven GmbH & Co. KG Orange 25 Gmbh & Co. KG

Charterers

Western Bulk Pte Ltd.

Deficiencies: Code - Category

2099 - Other (SOLAS Related

**Operational Def.**)

Description

A ship when in a port of another Contracting Government is subject to control by officers duly authorized by such Government concerning operational requirements in respect of the safety of ships, when there is clear grounds for believing that the master or crew are not familiar with shipboard procedures relating to the safety of ships. PSCO observed the quick closing fuel shutoff valve on the No. 1 HFO settling tank for the main engine blocked in the open position with four blocked of wood rendering the valve incapable of being remotely closed from outside the space in the event of a fire. The Chief engineer stated the quick closing valve was blocked open to prevent a ship blackout.

0710 - Fire prevention

Fire-fighting systems and appliances shall kept in good working order and readily available for immediate use. The PSCO discovered the quick closing fuel shutoff valve on the No.1 HFO settling tank for the main engine was blocked in the open position with four blocks of wood rendering the valve incapable of being remotely closed from outside the space in the event of a fire.